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## HOUSE RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_

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*Introduced by: Battles*

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A RESOLUTION congratulating the Princeton Community High School boys basketball team.

*Whereas, The Princeton Community High School boys basketball team is the 2008-2009 Indiana High School Athletic Association's (IHSAA) Class 3A state champion;*

*Whereas, The Tigers' 81-79 double overtime victory over Rochester ended their season with a 29-0 record, making them the 11th undefeated state champion;*

*Whereas, The first overtime was brought about by a three point shot by Rochester to tie the score at 61 with 2.3 seconds left;*

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*Whereas, Tied at 72 as the first overtime was coming to an end, Princeton survived when Rochester missed a three point attempt and Brandt George snatched the defensive rebound;*

*Whereas, After 16 lead changes and nine ties, the Princeton basketball team realized the first state championship by any Princeton team and the first state basketball championship by any Gibson County team after Dontray Chavis hit the winning free throws with 2.9 seconds left;*

*Whereas, The unbeaten Tigers played an outstanding basketball game, prevailing despite Rochester's 15 three-point baskets, more than any other team in state finals play;*

*Whereas, Princeton's Rontray Chavis, Dontray Chavis, Trevor George, and Jordan Simmons were named to the All-Tourney team;*

*Whereas, In the 12th year of class basketball, the Princeton Tigers became Class 3A's first unbeaten champion; and*

*Whereas, Exceptional accomplishments deserve special recognition: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the  
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1           SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives  
2           congratulates the Princeton Community High School boys basketball  
3           team on their Class 3A state championship and their undefeated  
4           season.

5           SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of  
6           Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the team members,  
7           coach Tom Weeks, principal Jon Abbey, and superintendent B.  
8           McCuiston.

